Introduced by Senator Figueroa

February 22, 2002

An act to amend Section 2709.5 Sections 2709.5 and 2851 of the Business and Professions Code, relating to nursing.

LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST

SB 2022, as amended, Figueroa. Registered nursing Nursing.

(1) Existing law, the Nursing Practice Act, provides for the licensure of registered nurses by the Board of Registered Nurses. Existing law provides that any fees requires required by the board may be paid by customary mediums of exchange, including a postal money order.

This bill would delete the specification that a money order be a postal money order.

(2) Existing law, the Vocational Nursing Practice Act, creates the Board of Vocational Nursing and Psychiatric Technicians of the State of California that is composed of 11 members. Under existing law, 5 members of the board constitute a quorum for transaction of business at a meeting.

This bill would instead require 6 members of the board to constitute a quorum.

Vote: majority. Appropriation: no. Fiscal committee: no. State-mandated local program: no.

The people of the State of California do enact as follows:

- SECTION 1. Section 2709.5 of the Business and Professions
- 2 Code is amended to read:

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2709.5. The board shall accept in payment of any fee required by this chapter cash or any customary or generally accepted medium of exchange, including check, cashier's check, certified check or money order. For the purposes of this section, customary or generally accepted medium of exchange does not include postage stamps.

- SEC. 2. Section 2851 of the Business and Professions Code is amended to read:
- 9 2851. Five Six members of the board constitute a quorum for 10 transaction of business at any meeting.